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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Siegfried SCHLISIO

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THE TOBACCO-PROCESSING
INDUSTRY

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Examiner: Richard Ridley

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PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 29, 2004, the Applicant requests reconsideration of the rejection of claims 1-12 in view of the following remarks.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.